

territory," and call upon us to withdraw from it under pain of consequences.—The language of Mr. Fox is by no means equivocal.

Her Majesty's Government claim and expect from the good faith of the Government of the United States, that the people of Maine will replace themselves in the situation in which they stood before the agreement of the last year were signed—that they shall **RETRACT FROM THE VALLEY OF ST. JOHN, AND CONFINE THEMSELVES TO THE VALLEY OF THE AROOSTOOK; THAT THEY SHALL OCCUPY**

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This is plain language, divested of all diplomacy. The territory claimed by Maine as her own, under the treaty of 1783, is no longer in dispute—it is no longer a mooted question. Great Britain in effect says, *this is my land—retire from it! I will drive you off.*

that we could temporise no longer—we must assert our rights or abandon them." Mr. Williams, of Maine, said that Great Britain had for these 25 years expressed the most pacific views on that question, yet the moment it was apparent that the question must be settled, she threatened us with the consequences. He was glad to find that the issue must be now made up. We are not, it is true, in a condition to go to war with England, and she has great advantage in the present large armies collected in Canada. Our naval force is distributed all over the world and our commerce is all on every sea; but whenever such difficulties arise we must be found in the same position. Beyond our

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contrary. In a recent conversation between Lord Palmerston and Mr. Stevenson on the subject of the burning of the Caroline, Lord Palmerston distinctly justified the act, and indicated in a manner not to be misunderstood, that no reparation would be offered for that affair; and if Canada was ever invaded from our shores hereafter by any portion of our citizens, they would forthwith cross and invade this country, and that war was preferable to this armed neutrality.

[New York Star.

OUR NEXT ANNIVERSARY.

The fifth Anniversary of the Ohio Anti-slavery Society will be held at Massillon, Stark county on Wednesday, the 27th day of next May—commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Baptist church.

It will be a meeting of great importance. Measures have already been taken to give it off

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 efficiency and interest. A large delegation from the
 northern part of Olin, it is expected, will attend
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 of the state will not be remiss. We expect to be fi-
 vored with the presence and co-operation of several
 able and eloquent speakers.

✂ Editors of papers in Olin, please copy.

IMPORTANT TO SUBSCRIBERS.

Every subscriber to the Philanthropist, who shall not have paid up all arrearages by the first day of next July, will at that time be stricken from our list. Bills will be immediately forwarded to all who are indebted to us, that they may make immediate arrangements for payment.

Also—from this date, henceforth, no subscription will be received, UNLESS, IT BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE CASH.

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No subscription however will be continued unless payment be made in advance.

This, we hope our friends will bear in mind.

NOTICES.

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The next annual meeting of the Illinois A. S. Society

is to be held at Princeton on the 4th of July.

A great county convention of Abolitionists will be held in Clinton county, Wilmington, on Monday, 27th of the month. Mr. Buffum will be in attendance.

Communicated to all Baptist Anti-Slavery Editors and to the free Press generally.

CALL

For a Baptist National Anti-Slavery Convention

BAPTIST ABOLITIONISTS OF THE UNITED STATES!
Brethren, and Friends of the cause of the Slave!
You are hereby called to attend a Convention of Inmate Abolitionists, members in good standing of Baptist Churches and Congregations, to be held in the City of New York, on *Monday, the 27th day of April next*, at *o'clock A. M.*, in the CHURCH of the McDUGGALL STREET BAPTIST CHURCH, to form an AMERICAN BAPTIST ANTI-SLAVERY SOCIETY, and to consider and report on the best means to be employed by us, as a denomination

for the IMMEDIATE ABOLITION OF SLAVERY
throughout our Churches, our Country and the World.

DUNCAN DENBAR,
CHARLES W. DENISON,
ZELOTES GAINSWELL,
JOHN J. RAYMOND,
RICARD C. MCGONICK,
New York, Feb. 8th, 1840

Central
Corresponding
Committee.

SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE AMERICAN ANTI-SLAVERY SOCIETY

THE SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING of the American Anti-Slavery Society, will be held in the city of New York Tuesday, the *twelfth day of May next*, at 10 o'clock P.M. when an abstract of the Annual Report of the Executive Committee will be read, and addresses delivered by several gentlemen.

THE BUSINESS MEETING of the Society will continue in the afternoon of the same day, and will be continued as long as may be deemed expedient. Auxiliary Societies are requested to send delegates.

Admission Free.

requested to send a delegate to the Anb. Convention, and to be invited to be present, and to be solicited to attend the Anb. Convention throughout the country, and to be solicited to attend the Anb. Convention.

By order of the Executive Committee,
HENRY B. STANTON, } Committee of
SAMUEL E. CORNISH, } Arrangements,
JAMES S. GIBBONS. }
New York, March 12th 1840.

N. B. Newspapers friendly to the cause, are requested to publish the above notice till

